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I received the report on the proposal for change. I couldn't agree more with the proposal to improve communications. There needs to be a liason to address problems at a more local level. One of the big problems we are having is that our menus and lack of flexibility makes it difficult to always use the commodities we receive. I work for the Department of Juvenile Justice in Kentucky. We are locked in by a departmental nurse into using menus she makes that are designed for a much bigger facility than us. There needs to be a USDA approved menu using USDA foods as much as possible. There should be room for substitution. Also not being sure of what we are going to get when we request foods hampers any planning for the future. Thank you for your request for input. Please let me know if you need anything else.

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